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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed November 28, 2000, having a shortened extended period for response set to expire on February 28, 2001. A Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time is filed concurrently, together with the requisite fee, thus extending the period for response to April 28, 2001.

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The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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IN THE DRAWINGS:

Pursuant to the enclosed separate Letter to the Examiner Requesting Approval of Drawing Changes, amendment to FIG. 3 is respectfully requested.